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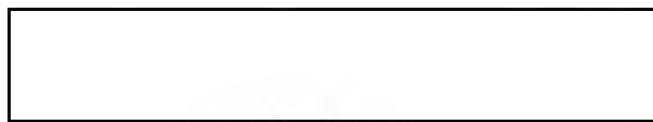
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 22, 1952

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL W. B. SMITH

Attached is a copy of a memorandum from the President to the Secretary of Defense relative to necessary transportation facilities for you.



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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

The Director of Central Intelligence has been authorized by me to call on the Armed Services for such transportation as he may require when he is traveling in connection with his official duties concerned with the national security.

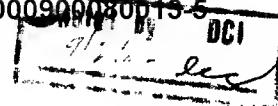
Please direct the Secretaries of Army, Navy and Air Force to provide such transportation when requested by him.

Reimbursement will be made from funds available to the Central Intelligence Agency, at the rates computed for senior officials of the Service which furnishes the transportation.

/s/ Harry Truman

VITAL DOCUMENT

THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON



September 24, 1952

Dear Mr. President:

Thank you for your memorandum of September 22, 1952. I have directed the Secretaries of the Army, Navy, and Air Force to make available to the Director of Central Intelligence, on a reimbursable basis, such transportation as he may require in connection with his official duties concerning national security. I am writing to General Smith to inform him of the availability of this transportation.

With great respect, I am

Faithfully yours,

(signed) William C. Foster

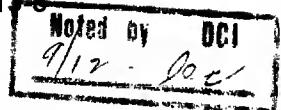
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The President

The White House

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MEMORANDUM FOR: SECRETARY OF THE ARMY
SECRETARY OF THE NAVY
SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE

When the Director of Central Intelligence is traveling in connection with his official duties, he is engaged in business connected with the national security and I have authorized him to call on the Armed Services for such transportation as he may require.

Reimbursement will be made from funds available to the Central Intelligence Agency at the rates computed for senior officials of the Service which furnishes the transportation.

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